SELECTED INTEREST RATES AND BOND PRICES
(Yields in per cent per annum)
Calendar week ending April 28, 1979

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| Instruments | $\begin{gathered} \text { Apri1 } \\ 23 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { April } \\ 24 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { April } \\ 25 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { April } \\ 26 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { April } \\ 27 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | This Week | Last Week | Year <br> Ago 1/ |
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| Federal funds (effective rate) | 10.22 | 10.25 | 9.96 | 10.05 | 10.16 | $10.09 \mathrm{~L} /$ | $9.962 /$ | $7.00 \mathrm{~L} /$ |
| mercial paper (prime, 90 to 119 days) | 9.73 | 9.68 | 9.62 | 9.57 | 9.65 | 9.65 | 9.90 | 6.87 |
| Commercial paper (prime, 4 to 6 mos.). | 9.74 | 9.72 | 9.66 | 9.60 | 9.67 | 9.68 | 9.94 | 6.91 |
| Finance paper placed directly (3 to 6 mos.). | 9.43 | 9.58 | 9.50 | 9.53 | 9.53 | 9.51 | 9.64 | 6.74 |
| Bankers' acceptances (prime, 90 days). | 9.73 | 9.73 | 9.69 | 9.65 | 9.98 | 9.75 | 9.90 | 7.06 |
| Prime loan (large business prime rate-majority). | 11.75 | 11.75 | 11.75 | 11.75 | 11.75 | 11.75 | 11.75 | 8.00 |
| Discount rate (Federal Reserve Bank of New York) | 9.50 | 9.50 | 9.50 | 9.50 | 9.50 | 9.50 | 9.50 | 6.50 |
| Yields on U.S. Government securities: 3/ Auction Average (Issue date) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3-month bill . . . . . . . . |  |  |  | 9.115 |  | 9.115 | 9.613 | 6.294 |
| 6 -month bill. |  |  |  | 9.295 |  | 9.295 | 9.627 | 6.777 |
| 1-year bill . . . |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Market Yields: <br> 3-month bil1 | 9.20 | 9.10 | 9.07 | 9.14 | 9.6 | . 23 | . 41 | 26 |
| 6-month bill | 9.33 | 9.36 | 9.33 | 9.37 | 9.63 | 9.40 | 9.45 | 6.26 6.80 |
| 1-year bill | 9.17 | 9.20 | 9.23 | 9.29 | 9.48 | 9.27 | 9.22 | 7.06 |
| Treasury constant maturities: 4/ | 9.97 | 10.01 | 10.04 | 10.17 | 10.39 | 10. 12 | 10.04 | 7.57 |
| -year -year . . . . . . . . . . | 9.73 | 10.01 9.75 | 10.04 9.77 | 10.17 9.80 | 10.39 9.93 | 10.12 9.80 | 10.04 9.75 | 7.87 |
| 3-year | 9.45 | 9.46 | 9.44 | 9.44 | 9.56 | 9.47 | 9.44 | 7.95 |
| 5-year | 9.26 | 9.29 | 9.26 | 9.28 | 9.33 | 9.28 | 9.24 | 8.05 |
| 7 -year | 9.23 | 9.25 | 9.24 | 9.26 | 9.31 | 9.26 | 9.20 | 8.13 |
| 10-year | 9.21 | 9.24 | 9.23 | 9.27 | 9.32 | 9.25 | 9.17 | 8.21 |
| 20-year | 9.17 | 9.18 | 9.18 | 9.21 | 9.24 | 9.20 | 9.12 | 8.36 |
| 30-year | 9.13 | 9.14 | 9.13 | 9.18 | 9.19 | 9.15 | 9.08 | 8.38 |
| Coupon issues due in: 5/ 3 to 5 years | 9.33 | 9.34 | 9.33 | 9.34 | 9.41 | 9.35 | 9.32 | 7.98 |
| Average yields on corporate bonds (Moody's). . | 9.84 | 9.85 | 9.85 | 9.86 | 9.88 | 9.86 | 9.82 | 8.93 |
| Aaa . | 9.42 | 9.43 | 9.43 | 9.44 | 9.47 | 9.44 | 9.39 | 8.59 |
| Baa . . | 10.36 | 10.36 | 10.37 | 10.35 | 10.36 | 10.36 | 10.36 | 9.38 |
| State and local government Aaa (Moody's). . . . . |  |  |  | 5.75 |  | 5.75 | 5.75 | 5.45 |

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[^0]:    1/ As of week ending April 29, 1978.
    리 7-day average for statement week ended on preceding Wednesday.
    3/ Bills quoted on bank discount basis.
    4/ Yields on actively traded issues adjusted to constant maturities. Source: U.S. Treasury.
    5/ Unweighted average for all issues outstanding.

